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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16

Our New Advertisements.
The pressure of advertisements on our columns this morning, necessitates the omission of considerable reading matter. We are gratified with the continued patronage of our friends, and think that five columns of new advertisements prove conclusively that our efforts to make the PRESS a popular journal are fully appreciated.

CITY NEWS.

Lost.—See advertisement of "lost watch" in another column.

SHERIFF'S SALES OF REAL ESTATE.—The Sheriff's sales of real estate were very well attended yesterday, but, notwithstanding the property offered was valuable, none was sold.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.—At the regular session of the County Commissioners, held yesterday morning, orders were passed amounting, in the aggregate, to \$220.92. No other business of importance was transacted.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.—For the Army Post, by Henry Ware, Optician, No. 7 West Fourth-street, December 15.

Time	Barometer	Thermometer
6 A. M.	29.65	32
12 M.	29.65	32
3 P. M.	29.65	32

UNPAID LETTERS.—The following is a list of letters detained for non-payment of postage at the Postoffice, in this city, December 15:
O. H. Hildebrand, Baltimore, Md.
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DRAMATIC ENTERTAINMENT FOR A CHARITABLE PURPOSE.—The Thalia, an amateur dramatic society, gave a performance of "The Lady of Lyons" in German last evening, at Arthur Hall, for the benefit of the destitute European emigrants who arrive in this city, and netted the sum of \$150 for this purpose.

PETTY LARCENY.—A young girl named Emma Moore, quite fair and very fresh, was arrested by Officers West and Conger last night and committed to the Ninth-street Station-house on a charge of petty larceny. She was a young woman on Fifth-street, who was induced by the qualities we have named to accompany her to a house of ill-repute, where she robbed him of six dollars. He informed the officers of the fact, and when they arrested her the money was found upon her person. She will have a hearing this morning before Judge Lowe.

ATTEMPT AT SUICIDE IN A STATION-HOUSE.—A man named David Coats, arrested night before for drunkenness and disorderly conduct, and placed in the Hammond-street Station-house, attempted to hang himself in one of the cells by fastening his handkerchief with a slip-knot about his throat to one of the iron bars.
The noise he made while choking attracted the attention of the keepers who released him from his perilous position, but not before the unfortunate man was purple in the face, and nearly on the shores of the Stygian stream. An hour and abundance of cold water restored the prisoner, and he was released, as the West-thieves would say, to health, in pain a little longer, the heavy atmosphere of this tenuous planet.

POLICE COURT.—Eighteen cases were examined at the Police Court yesterday morning, before Judge Lowe. Most of them were quite uninteresting, and but one or two seemed to be of sufficient importance to authorize a recital.

A German woman named Barbara Ketch was arraigned on a charge of grand larceny. It appeared that an acquaintance named Valentine Bash visited her at her residence at the head of Elm-street, day before yesterday, and before his departure she managed to relieve him of a watch worth about \$8 or \$9, and money to the amount of \$38. He caused her to be taken into custody, and, being deemed guilty of the charge, was committed to jail to answer the charge at the next term of the Court of Common Pleas, in default of bail to the amount of \$350.

A fellow named O'Donnell was plucked up night before last by some of the police in a half-lit condition, and, after a very heavy slugging, was taken to the station-house, and yesterday morning preferred a charge against him of carrying concealed weapons, and Judge Lowe punished the offender by fining him \$10 and costs.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONCERT AT ARBURY CHAPEL.—The concert of the pupils of the Sunday School connected with Arbury Chapel, on Webster-street, near Main, was largely attended last night, and passed off apparently to the entire satisfaction of all the parties concerned. The music, compared with that which is usually heard at places of this kind, was excellent, and gave evidence of considerable cultivation. We should do justice to some about whom we attempt to particularize, and where all was good this is unnecessary. We, therefore, refrain from specifying, and publish the programme, which was finely rendered in every part:

THE LATE NINTH-STREET SHOOTING AFFAIR.—Archival of Conn.—On Monday last we gave an account of a shooting affair that occurred on Saturday evening in a brothel on Ninth-street, near Bayouville, in which a young man named Eugene Trachas was seriously injured, by a shot from a pistol in the hands of Pollock Wilson Cobb. The affair came up yesterday in the Police Court, and was carefully examined in all its bearings before Judge Lowe.

The entire occurrence, as detailed by the witnesses, was similar to the statement we gave of it, and but one or two new points were elicited. It appears that Cobb had taken the woman about whom the difficulty originated on a sleigh-ride, and this so incensed Trachas that he assaulted his rival and knocked him down. Cobb made an effort to escape through the back door, but it was locked, and on turning, saw his assailant approaching him with a large bottle of kerosene in his hand, when he drew a pistol and shot him.

It was also in evidence that T. had informed a friend of his, before he entered his house, that he intended to kill C., and the Judge, thinking a case of self-defense had been clearly made out, discharged the defendant.

The wounded man is still, we understand, lying in a critical condition. The ball, which entered at the temple, seems to have passed through the skull and lodged in such a position that his physicians have thus far been unable to remove it. What will be the result of this unfortunate affair it is difficult to determine, but for the sake of at least one of the participants, we could wish it might not prove fatal.

HOME INTEREST.

A. A. Ryster, Clocks, Watches and Jewelry. Nos. 241 and 271 Western-row.

Use Howe's Cotton Candy.—For sale by John D. Park, corner of Fourth and Walnut.

FOR FIRST-CLASS AMBROTYPES.—Every-body visits the Broadway Gallery, at No. 52.

For Christmas Presents go to Albert Rose's, south-west corner of Eighth-street and Western-row.

The rare and beautiful Birds to be sold on Saturday morning, at 10 o'clock, can be seen to-day at the store, No. 18 East Fourth-street.

Superior Fancy Cases, with quarter-plate Pictures, at the Broadway Gallery, at one-third the price charged at other Galleries. Recollet.

DIAPHRAGMS.—This style of Picture, the most satisfactory yet introduced, is having a big run at Carpenter's, No. 30 Fifth-street, between Main and Walnut, north side.

This morning, at 9 o'clock, J. Graf & Co. will sell, at their store, No. 12 East Fourth-street, an invoice of Millinery Goods of this season's purchase. See advertisement.

Daguerrotypy Gallery, south-west corner of Sixth and Western-row, over Hammond's drug-store. Pictures taken and at in good cases for twenty cents. Warranted to please.

Opera and Bridal Fans, Pearl Stick, white Silk, plain; Pearl Stick, white Silk embroidered; Pearl Stick, white Silk allover;

Ivory Stick Broad Fan, white, red, blue and pink Silk; Ivory Stick, elegantly painted, Silk;

Ivory Stick Silvered, spangled, embroidered Silk; Sandal-wood Stick, broad Silk, all colors;

Half Fan, blue and gold, coral and gold; Head Dresses, blue and gold, coral and gold;

Card Cases, plain and coral pearl shell; Porte-monnaies, with chain, leather, silver, velvet; stereoscopes and Views;

Steel Buckles and Brooches; Steel Buckles and Slides;

Coral Necklaces and Ties; DRESS GARTERS. Just received, a line of elegant Elastics;

With Bows, Rosettes, and in Embroidery; White, Blue, Pink and Crimson Silk;

Drab, Lavender, Green and Straw-colored Silk; Silk, Velvet, Kid, Buckskin and Thread.

Is a Ladies' Dress "Au fait" without beautiful Garters? JOHN D. PARK, E. corner of Fourth and Walnut-streets.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

The One-seam Cap.—A very neat, new style, for Youth and Young Men.

DODD & CO., Hatters and Furriers, 144 Main-street.

Our Mole-skin Silk Hat.—For style and quality, as a general Dress Hat, can not be beat in the world.

DODD & CO., Hatters and Furriers, 144 Main-street.

THE SEAMLESS CAP.

Another invoice to-day by Express.

BAKER, No. 144 Walnut-street.

Y. M. M. L. ASSOCIATION.

Independents, Rally!

All members of the Independent party are requested to meet at the Lecture Room, in the basement of the Mechanics' Institute, THIS (Friday) EVENING, at 7 o'clock, for the purpose of electing officers and paying dues. By order of the C. P. J. H. MURRAY, Secy.

J. O. F. THE OFFICERS and members of PHILADELPHIA FRON ENCAMMENT, No. 33, J. O. F., are hereby notified to attend the Semi-annual meeting of the Encampment, THIS (Friday) EVENING, December 15, at 7 o'clock, for the election of officers and payment of dues. By order of the C. P. J. H. MURRAY, Secy.

J. O. F. WILDEY ENCAMMENT, No. 11, are hereby notified to attend the Semi-annual meeting of the Encampment, THIS (Friday) EVENING, December 15, at 7 o'clock, for the election of officers and payment of dues. By order of the C. P. J. H. MURRAY, Secy.

OFFICE OF THE LITTLE BAY RAILROAD CO., Cincinnati, Nov. 20, 1859.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF the Stockholders of this Company will be held at the office of the Company, in the city of Cincinnati, on TUESDAY, 7th December, 1859, for the purpose of electing twelve Directors to serve the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may be presented. The polls will be opened at 10 o'clock A. M. and close at 2 P. M. By order of the President, J. H. DAVENPORT, Treasurer.

NOTICE.—FOR THE CONVE- NIENCE of shippers, the Ohio and Mississippi Railroad Company have established an Office at 46 Public Landing, where through rates can be obtained at all times on freight for all points beyond. T. LOUGH, General Freight Agent.

Phrenological and Physiognomical EXAMINATIONS, WITH CHARTS AND DESCRIPTIONS of Character, indicating the Occupation or Profession to which each person may best succeed and be most useful and happy. By DR. C. R. HARRIS, No. 104 Fourth-street. (no31)

OFFICE OF THE PASSENGER-COMpany OF OHIO, N. E. corner of Third and Main-streets, Cincinnati, Ohio.

At intervals of ten minutes, from 6:30 A. M. to 10 P. M., running eastward on Third-street to Wood, and westward on Third-street to Wood, Ohio will please bear in mind that the cars will invariably cross intersecting streets before stopping for passengers.

JAMES J. ROBBINS, President.

MERCHANTS FROM THE COUNTRY who visit Cincinnati should not fail to purchase a few copies of FRANKLIN A. LAMAR'S "The Franklin Almanac and Diary for 1860" at meeting with an enormous sale, by the estate copy or by the dozen, by B. F. SANFORD, at his publication office, No. 104 Fourth-street, and at the corner of Fourth and Walnut-streets. Price, single copy, 25 cents; \$2.50 per dozen.

KENNEY'S MEDICAL DIS- CERNER is acknowledged by the most eminent physicians and by the most careful druggists throughout the United States, and to have relieved more suffering, and effected more permanent cures, than any preparation known to the profession. Scrofula, Salt Rheum, Knaples, Scald-head, scaly eruptions of whatever nature, are cured by a few bottles, and the system restored to full strength and vigor. Full and explicit directions for the cure of all the above and other corrupt and irritating eruptions, together with the pamphlet with each bottle. For sale by JOHN D. PARK, No. 18 East Fourth-street, and GEORGE M. DIXON, Price \$1.

IT HAS BEEN DISCOVERED AT LAST.—The article that cures almost without fail every species of eruptions of the face hands, or other parts of the body. In your face disfigured with pimples or an irritating eruption of any kind, have you contracted skin disease, the Lotion, on the hands, or elsewhere, have you any annoying, irritating, itching, inflamed eruption of any kind; go at once and obtain a pamphlet describing the effects of Palmer's Lotion, and giving an amount of evidence in its favor, that will put to rest all doubts of its efficacy in the cure of all kinds of cutaneous diseases. After becoming satisfied that the Lotion is no humbug, procure a bottle and use it, and you will be satisfied that the half has not been said in its favor that might be.

Price 50 cents, or six bottles for \$2.50.

JOHN PALMER, Agent. No. 18 West Fourth-street.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

DIARIES FOR 1860

BRADLEY & WEBB, STATIONERS, 147 Main-street

Invite the Attention of Purchasers to their Assortment of

POCKET DIARIES FOR 1860, Which they believe is the Largest and Cheapest in the City. (delc60)

WRITING DESKS.

A VERY LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

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WRITING DESKS!

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A VERY SUPERIOR ASSORTMENT OF

New and Elegant Styles

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We invite attention to our extensive, choice and elegant assortment of

HOLIDAY PRESENTS,

Suitable for old and young, rich and poor, grave and gay, philosopher and unlearned, merry and sad. We have

BOOKS

Of fact and fancy; Story Books and Books of Science; Books with gilt edges and with white edges; Books bound in red, green, blue, yellow, brown, black, in calf, half bound in calf and bound in morocco; Books of beauty and plain books; rich Books and neat Books; Poets and Historians.

BOOKS FOR YOUTH,

Of all sizes, styles and prices. Abbott, Edgeworth, and a multitude of other friends of youth. Books with numerous Engravings, and without.

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In abundant variety, including Paper, Pens, Pencils, Paper Writing Desks, Paper-cutters, and everything else necessary to a complete assortment.

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Boards and Men of all sizes, styles and prices, and many other articles, too numerous to mention.

Robert Clarke & Co.

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BURNING FLUID.

MOST LIGHT.

GOOD COAL OIL.

BETTER COAL OIL.

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For sale by

GEORGE M. DIXON, Druggist, N. E. cor. Fifth and Main-streets.

Genuine Glycerine Lotion, AS PREPARED BY GEORGE M. DIXON, cures chapped hands and roughness of the skin; also promotes the growth of the hair.

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20 BRLS. Bleached Castor Oil; 10 do. Saffron Oil; 20 do. Pure Sperm Oil; 10 do. Pure Olive Oil.

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Soap! Soap!

25 BOXES Candia, seven years old, very superior; 100 do. "Mottled"; 100 do. Palm, No. 1 and 2; 20 do. Potomac.

Also, a general assortment of Fancy Soap, for retailing. **GEORGE M. DIXON, Druggist,** N. E. cor. Fifth and Main-streets.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

For the Little Folks.

ALPHABET BLOCKS.

THESE INDESTRUCTIBLE BLOCKS have been prepared for the special benefit of Little Children. They will prove a constant source of pleasure and profit.

"B is for Ball, as round as can be. And also for Blocks, you can easily see." Price \$1; also, smaller style, 75c.

GEO. S. BLANCHARD, delc-6 39 West Fourth-street.

NEW GAMES FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

The Game of Yankee Land.
The Game of School in an Uproar.
The Game of Gipsy Fortune Teller.
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The Game of Conical Dominoes.
The Game of Tipsey Philosopher.

ALSO—A new supply of the celebrated Game of Peter Coddles Trip to New York.

—OR—

THREE GAMES IN ONE.

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WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED NEW GOODS BY EXPRESS, and our assortment of

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Consisting of Hudson's Bay Sable; Stone Marten; Canada and Mink Sable; Pitch, Siberian, Squirrel, &c., is complete and unusually inviting. We have a great variety of nice and handsome sets of

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ALSO—Fur Gloves, Collars, Robes, Fur Coats, &c. We invite all purchasers of

CHRISTMAS GIFTS,

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C. B. CAMP & CO., delc61 No. 95 West Third-street.

Christmas Presents.

WHEELER & WILSON'S

SEWING MACHINES!

PIKE'S OPERA-HOUSE,

NO. 77 FOURTH-STREET,

Cincinnati, Ohio.

What more appropriate Christmas present can you make than a Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine, which everybody now admits to be THE Machine, and which does the work of a day in one hour, making home pleasant the balance of your lives. Every family must have one, and it is economy to buy the best.

In the West we have just taken the First Premium at the

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Ohio,

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Illinois and

Missouri,

AND ALSO AT THE

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At St. Louis and Chicago.

Where we received, besides the First Premium, a SILVER FITCHER, as the best Family Machine.

In addition to this testimony, we refer to the 40,000 families and manufacturers to whom we have sold, and to the following well-known persons of this city, now using our Machines:

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Gentlemen who desire to surprise their families with a Machine will please leave their names in time to have them ready to send early Christmas morning.

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Great Attraction and Great Bargains at Wholesale and Retail.

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NEW AND FINE GOODS,

Diamonds, Gold and Silver Watches, Silver and Plated Ware, IN GREAT VARIETY.

A large assortment of new styles and fine Jewelry just received, expressly for the

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All of which will be sold cheap for cash, by

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